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## **LETTER**

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Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 dated September 23, 2005, please find enclosed a copy of the notice of Missing Requirements, the signed Declaration, a postcard containing the Patent and Trademark Office mail room stamp and the appropriate Fee Sheet.

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U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO. FIRST NAMED APPLICANT ATTY. DOCKET NO. 045-102 10/532,528 Urs Reuteler INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/US03/34067 PRIORITY DATE 001009 I.A. FILING DATE KING & SCHICKLI, PLLC 10/27/2003 10/25/2002 247 NORTH BROADWAY LEXINGTON, KY 40507 **CONFIRMATION NO. 5960 371 FORMALITIES LETTER** 

Date Mailed: 09/23/2005

# NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- · Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 04/25/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 04/25/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 04/25/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 07/22/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 04/25/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 04/25/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 04/25/2005

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The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

#### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity:



ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.

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U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO.	INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.	ATTY. DOCKET NO.
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# FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2005

Effective 10/01/2004. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 65.00

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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)		FEE CALCULATION (continued)				
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Deposit Account:		Large Entity   Small Entity				
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Account Number 11-0978	1051	130	2051		Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	65.00
Deposit Account KING & SCHICKLI, PLLC	1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
Name	1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
The Director is authorized to: (check all that apply)  Charge fee(s) indicated below  Credit any overpayments		2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
Charge any additional fee(s) or any underpayment of fee(s)		920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
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FEE CALCULATION		110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
1. BASIC FILING FEE		430	2252	215	Extension for reply within second month	
Large Entity Small Entity	1253	980	2253	490	Extension for reply within third month	
Fee Fee Fee Fee Description Fee Paid Code (\$)	1254	1,530	2254	765	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1001 790 2001 395 Utility filing fee	1255	2,080	2255	1,040	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1002 350 2002 175 Design filing fee	1401	340	2401	170	Notice of Appeal	
1003 550 2003 275 Plant filing fee	1402	340	2402	170	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1004 790 2004 395 Reissue filing fee	1403	300	2403	150	Request for oral hearing	
1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee	1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)	1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
		1,370	2453	685	Petition to revive - unintentional	
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE Fee from		1,370	2501	685	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
Extra Claims below Fee Paid	1502	490	2502	245	Design issue fee	
Total Claims 20** = X =	1503	660	2503	330	Plant issue fee	
Claims - 3** = X =	1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
Multiple Dependent	1807	50	1807	7 50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
Large Entity   Small Entity	1806	180	1806		Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
Fee Fee Fee Fee Fee Description Code (\$)	8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1202 18 2202 9 Claims in excess of 20	1809	790	2809	395	Filing a submission after final rejection	
1201 88 2201 44 Independent claims in excess of 3					(37 CFR 1.129(a))	
1203 300 2203 150 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid 1204 88 2204 44 ** Reissue independent claims	1810	790	2810	395	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
1204 88 2204 44 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent	1801	790	2801	395	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1205 18 2205 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
		Other fee (specify)				
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